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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir :

In response to the Official Action dated October 25, 2005, which set a shortened period of response to expire on December 27, 2005 (December 25, 2005 falling on a Sunday and December 26, 2005 falling on a federal holiday), applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections, together with the allowance of all the claims pending in the present application.

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